

Rev. Northrup Honored For 20 Years Service

The Rev. and Mrs. C. Miles Northrup were honored Sunday afternoon for 20 years of service at the First Baptist Church, as the congregation put on a surprise celebration for them and presented them with a new car.

The couple was surprised when they were escorted into the sanctuary Sunday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Ruffell and were greeted by a standing ovation of more than 600 church members and friends.

A program, based on the theme, "This Is Your Life," was presented, during which a history of the church for the past 20 years was read by John E. McCall, master of ceremonies.

Firsts Attend Service
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newkirk, first couple married in Torrance by Rev. Northrup, and Doris Daniel Markland, the first child baptized by the pastor, were present at the services, as were many church officers of the early years. Bill Tolson, Rad Farquhar, Paul Gilliam, and Howard Gilliam, "Young Men's Quartet" of 20 years ago, performed.

Under the direction of Mrs. Ray White, church events were presented in a spring garden setting, labeled "Garden of Memories." Guild girls, members of the girls' Christian organization served as ushers.

Expansion of the church from a single frame building to the present multiunit plant was outlined. Twenty years ago, the church was in debt and unable to pay interest on its mortgage, but the debt has been paid, and a continuing expansion program undertaken. Plans are now being made to build another unit to replace the original frame structure on Marina St.

18 Join Ministry
During the reading of the history, it was pointed out that at least 18 men and three women have gone into full-time Christian work from the church.

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CONGREGATION HONORS MINISTER . . . The Rev. and Mrs. C. Miles Northrup were honored for 20 years of service at the First Baptist Church by more than 600 members of the congregation. They are admiring the cake in their honor, while Rev. Northrup holds a scrapbook containing a record of his pastorate. They also received a television set and automobile.

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Church News

Lomitans Set Pot Luck Meal On Saturday

A pot luck dinner, sponsored by the Mother's Council, will be held at 6 p.m. Saturday night in the social hall of the Lomita Presbyterian Church.

Plans for a July 23 carnival to raise funds to pay off a loan on the church property will be made at the dinner. The dinner will be for parents and Sunday School children and other interested persons. Child care will be provided.

The Mother's Council recently installed Mrs. Lowell Shelhart as president. Other officers are Mrs. Wade White, vice president; Mrs. George MacKay, secretary; Mrs. Erling Barum, treasurer; Mrs. Bob Phitten, assistant; and Mrs. Eldon Durham, chaplain.

Father-Son Banquet Set Next Tuesday

A father-son banquet, sponsored by the men of the Lomita Missionary Church, will be held in the social room of the church next Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Bob Williams, field representative for the Pacific Bible College of Azusa, will be speaker at the banquet, and will tell of some of his flying experiences.

All boys, including the Junior group, and men of the church are invited.

The annual jug breaking ceremony will be held during the Sunday School hour Sunday, when the "Sunshine Makers," children's missionary organization, will break the jugs in which they have been collecting money for the past year.

Plans are also being made by the church to remodel the Sunday School room, and beautified sanctuary will be added.

Mahar House Holds Directors Meeting

Catholic Youth Organization's Mahar House, 1123 Mahar Ave., Wilmington, held a board of directors meeting last night, with Dr. George Verdes, president of the Welfare Federation of Los Angeles area as principal speaker.

The house provides group activities planned according to community needs of residents in surrounding neighborhoods.

Service Hour Changed

Morning worship sessions Sunday at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 330 Palos Verdes Blvd., will be at 8 and 11 a.m. this Sunday instead of 8 and 11:15 p.m., according to the Rev. Lyle Ganges. One Sunday School session will be held at 9:30 a.m.

BAPTISTS PLAN RITES FOR GRADS

June graduates of both elementary and high schools in this area will be honored at morning worship services at the South Bay Baptist Church, 4566 Sharynne Lane, Sunday.

Charles Lockwood will speak on "He Knew Their Thoughts." In the morning service at 11 a.m. In the evening services, at 7:30, he will discuss "God Is Great." Child care will be provided during the morning service, with a junior church service at the same hour.

After the evening service, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor, who are leaving the community, will be honored at a fellowship gathering in the social hall.

Youth groups will meet at 6:30 p.m.

The Rev. George F. Cain and his family will return this week after an extended visit with relatives in the Midwest. He will be in charge of the Bible study and prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30.

Lutherans To Note 25th Anniversary

Pastor Harry Stief, of Grace Lutheran Church of Anaheim, will deliver the message at both 8 and 10:45 Sunday worship services at the First Lutheran Church, which is celebrating its 25th anniversary.

Special rites will commemorate the anniversary of the church, which was founded in 1830.

Pastor U. L. Sierkes will conduct the 7 p.m. rites.

The men of the church will celebrate brotherhood night at 7 p.m. Tuesday with a pot luck supper. Jack Dennis of the First Lutheran Church of Inglewood will discuss "The Layman's Responsibility in the Church."

On June 26, Ralph Herman, assistant pastor of the First Lutheran Church last year, will be ordained at St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Sacramento, with Pastor Paul Wenske preaching the sermon.

Public Payrolls

Civilian employees of the federal, state and local governments in the United States totaled about seven million in 1954, according to current figures.

Report Shows 185 New Members For Methodist Church Last Year

The First Methodist Church gained 185 members during the past year, bringing the present membership to over 900 persons, reports for the last year indicated.

According to the Rev. John L. Taylor, more than 500 members have been received during the past three years. At the present time, there are also 251 preparatory members and 125 constituent families, he said. One hundred four children were baptized during the year.

Value Increases
Total property value of church property increased during the year by \$53,000, to \$163,729, reports indicated. During the year, a new parsonage was purchased at 1542 21st Prade and a new educational building, valued at \$60,000, was opened in August. Indebtedness on the parsonage is \$10,000 and \$20,000 on the church building.

Total receipts from all sources totaled \$50,000, while giving to World Service and benevolences increased 20 per cent to a new high of \$3763.

Three Services Held
Three worship services are held each Sunday, with a new "Youth at Worship" service held at 10:10 a.m. with youngsters in the fourth through the eighth grades leading the rites. J. Gene Walker, of 2231 W. 231st St., and Frank Fisher Jr., of El Segundo, were granted local preacher's licenses, while those of Floyd Andrus and Wayne Hollins were renewed.

METHODISTS TO HONOR GRADUATES

Graduates of 1955 will be honored at "Methodist Student Day" services this Sunday at the First Methodist Church, 1551 El Prado.

The Rev. Donald J. Shelby, associate pastor, will give the morning sermon, "Protecting Your Vision," at both 9 and 11 a.m. worship services. In the "Youth at Worship" service at 10 a.m., Lester Foster, principal of Perry Elementary School, will speak on the subject, "Wake Up Your Mind." Music will be furnished by the Senior High Choir, Youth Choir, and Chancel Choir.

A June Breakfast will be served at 10 a.m. for students who are graduating from elementary and high schools, and junior colleges. It will be prepared by the Women's Society of Christian Service, headed by Mrs. Dale Harter.

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Presentation Of Bibles Set By Christians

High school graduates will be honored at the second worship service at 10:50 a.m. Sunday at the First Christian Church.

Each graduate will receive a pocket edition of the revised standard version of the New Testament, as a special gift of the congregation.

The Rev. Milton Sippel will discuss "Thinking Successfully" in his sermon.

Van de Kamp's
40th Anniversary
SPECIALS
June 9, 10, 11

- 2-Layer Milk Chocolate Pineapple and Devil's Food CAKES 79¢ ea. (Reg. 89¢ ea.)
- 4-Layer Choc. Buttercream SPONGE CAKE 89¢ ea. (Reg. 98¢ ea.)
- 13-Egg ANGEL FOOD CAKE Large 69¢ ea. Small 39¢ ea. (Reg. 78¢ ea.) (Reg. 45¢ ea.)
- Orange CHIFFON CAKE Large 79¢ ea. Small 45¢ ea. (Reg. 88¢ ea.) (Reg. 45¢ ea.)
- 2-Layer Chocolate Pecan and Coconut CAKES 89¢ ea. (Reg. 98¢ ea.)
- Cinnamon COFFEE LOAF 33¢ ea. (3½¢ Value)

1506 CRAVENS AVE.

New Officers At El Camino

El Camino students last week elected Dick Huffer, Hawthorne to serve next fall as president of the Associated Students. He won in a field of four.

Thirteen other student body officers were elected, including Joe Byrnes of Torrance, who was unopposed for vice president.

Trust in God Offers Help

"God, the Preserver of Man," titles the Sunday Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science churches. The Golden Text is from Isaiah (43:2, 3). "When thou passest through the waters, I will be with thee; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee; when thou walkest through the fire, thou shalt not be burned; neither shall the flame kindle upon thee. For I am the Lord thy God, the Holy One of Israel, thy Savior."

Through the acceptance of spiritual revelation these promises of the Bible are in fulfillment today. Jesus says, as recorded by Matthew (6:33), "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you."

It is the province of spiritual sense to govern man," affirms Mary Baker Eddy in "Science and Health with Keys to the Scriptures." Again she writes, "The testimony of the corporeal senses cannot inform us what is real and what is delusive, but the revelations on Christian Science unlock the treasures of Truth" (pp. 206, 70).

Public Notice
TORRANCE HERALD-187
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SELL
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the provisions of Sections 3440 and 3440.1 of the Civil Code of the State of California, that Roy M. Tolly, Vendor, of Torrance, California, Redondo Beach, California, intends to sell to Gregory McCowan, Vendee, of 2055 Averill Ave., San Pedro, California, all that certain personal property consisting generally of all stock in trade, fixtures, equipment and tools of a certain business known as Tolly's Market, located at 20549 South Harvard Street, in the City of Torrance, California, and that the purchase price thereof will be paid at 10 o'clock a.m. on the 20th day of June, 1955, at Bank of America N.T. & S.A., 1245 Sartori Avenue, in the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California.
Dated June 3, 1955.
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Egrow No. 6311
T-June 9, 1955

Public Notice
TORRANCE HERALD-183
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NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL
No. 365810
In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.
In the Matter of the Estate of ETHEL HENRICH HULL, also known as ETHEL H. HULL, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the petition of John Henrich Hull for the Probate of the Will of the above-named deceased and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary thereon to the petitioner will be heard at 9:15 o'clock a.m. on the 16th day of June, 1955, at the court room of Department 4, of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.
Dated June 2, 1955.
HAROLD J. OSTLY,
County Clerk and Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.
By: Matteo, Deputy
Armstrong, Mewborn & Hitchcock
Attorneys for Petitioner
2211 Torrance Boulevard
Torrance, California
PA 8-2472
MT-June 6, 9, 13, 16, 1955

Public Notice
TORRANCE HERALD-184
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED PRECISE PLAN FOR ESTABLISHING VARIOUS ZONES IN THE VICTOR DISTRICT, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Board of Supervisors on the proposed Precise Plan of Victor in Room No. 501, Hall of Records, Los Angeles, on June 23, 1955, at 10:00 a.m., at which time testimony will be heard for and against said proposed Precise Plan, which consists of the establishment of various zones within the area generally bounded
On the North, East and South by the City of Torrance and on the West by the City of Redondo Beach.
Said proposed Precise Plan may be inspected by the public in the office of the Regional Planning Commission, Room 325, County Engineering Building, 105 West 2nd Street, Los Angeles.
By order of the Board of Supervisors, County of Los Angeles, State of California, adopted May 31, 1955.
HAROLD J. OSTLY,
County Clerk and ex officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles.
By: RAY E. LEE, Deputy
T-June 9, 1955

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| 1 Car A | 39,706 |
| 2 Car B | 39,642 |
| 3 Buick | 27,001 |
| 4 Car D | 16,929 |
| 5 Car E | 16,809 |
| 6 Car F | 15,347 |
| 7 Car G | 13,675 |
| 8 Car H | 8,615 |
| 9 Car I | 6,249 |
| 10 Car J | 4,328 |
| 11 Car K | 3,413 |
| 12 Car L | 1,231 |

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